

their city attorney on contract and pay on an hourly basis. Time spent drafting an ordinance is influenced by its complexity and the amount of research that is necessary. The latest estimate of the sum paid by cities to their attorneys is an average hourly rate of \$107-\$117.

Part III: Differences to Local Government Mandate Statement from Prior Versions

Part II applies to SB 15 as introduced. There is no earlier version for comparison.

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